

**Directive of the Rector of the Medical University of Lodz
no. 39/2020 of 6th May 2020**

**on conducting practical classes and summer vocational placement training
in connection with prevention, counteraction and eradication of the SARS-COV-2 virus
spread among members of the community of the Medical University of Lodz**

Based on Art. 50 it. 1 of the Act of 20 July 2018 - Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2020, it. 85, as amended), § 12 it. 3 and § 13 it. 2 of the Statute of the Medical University of Lodz of 27th June 2019, as amended, in connection with the Act of March 2, 2020 on special solutions related to the prevention and eradication of COVID-19, other infectious diseases and crisis situations caused by them (Journal of Laws, item 374), § 1 it. 3 of the Directive of the Minister of Health of 23 March 2020 on the temporary limitation of the functioning of medical universities in relation to the prevention, counteraction and eradication of COVID-19 (Journal of Laws it. 515), § 1a and § 1b of the Act of the Minister of Science and Higher Education of July 26, 2019 on standards of education preparing for the profession of a doctor, dentist, pharmacist, nurse, midwife, laboratory diagnostician, physiotherapist and paramedic (Journal of Laws. item 1573, as amended) and in connection with the Directive no. 20/2020 of 10 March 2020 of the Rector of the Medical University of Lodz in connection with prevention, counteraction and eradication of the SARS-COV-2 virus spread among members of the community of the Medical University of Lodz, as amended (i.e. Directive no. 32/2020 of April 7, 2020), I order as follows:

§ 1

1. A student who, due to the epidemiological situation caused by COVID-19, cannot complete summer vocational placement training within the time limit provided for in the study program, shall automatically obtain the consent of the Vice-Dean responsible for student affairs for the transfer of the date of placement to another possible date; crediting of the summer vocational placement training should, however, take place no later than by the end of the 2020/2021 academic year.
2. In particularly justified cases, the Vice-Dean responsible for student affairs may agree to the crediting of the summer vocational placement training later than indicated in point 1.
3. The postponed summer vocational placement training, along with ECTS credits, is added to the semester in which it is to be credited.

§ 2

1. A student who, in the academic year 2019/2020, performed voluntary tasks realized by medical bodies in connection with SARAS-CoV-2 virus infection, may apply to the Vice-Dean responsible for student affairs for permission to credit the abovementioned volunteering as part of the summer vocational placement training provided for in the study program.
2. To the application referred to in point 1, the student attaches a certificate confirming the performance of said voluntary activities.
3. The sample of application and certificate referred to in points 1 and 2, are specified by the Rector in an announcement.

§ 3

1. For students of the last semester of studies who are not able to complete the summer vocational placement training, the Vice-Dean responsible for student affairs may decide to shorten the duration of the placement and determine an alternative way of achieving the intended learning outcomes.
2. If, as part of the summer vocational placement training carried out so far, the supervisor of the year assesses that despite the lack of implementation of the entire period of the placement provided for in the study program, learning outcomes have been achieved, the placement completed so far may be shortened accordingly and recognized as completed.
3. The Vice-Dean responsible for student affairs may credit classes implemented using distance learning methods and techniques as part of summer vocational placement training.
4. The number of ECTS points obtained in the above-mentioned manner must be consistent with the applicable regulations adopted in the Rules and Regulations of the University.
5. A student who fails to obtain credit for subjects other than summer vocational placement training may apply for conditional crediting of the semester on the terms set out in the Rules and Regulations of the Medical University of Lodz.

§ 4

The Directive enters into force on the day of its signing.

THE RECTOR prof. Radziśław Kordek MD, PhD

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